Facilities of Telephones, Post and Telegraph to Panchayats in Districts of Uttar Pradesh

3091. DR. LAL BAHADUR RAWAL: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) a number of gram panchayats in Aligarh (hathras), Bijnaur and Bulandshahar of Uttar Pradesh where the facilities of telephone and posts and telegraph offices have been provided; and

(b) the number of departmental post Offices and telephone connection facilities targetted to be provided to the said districts of Uttar Pradesh during 1991-92?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) The details upto 29th February 1992 are as under:

Sl. No.	*District*	*No. of Panchayat Telephones*	*No. of post offices*	*No. of Telegraph Offices (Phonocom)*
1.	Aligarh (Hathras)	133	409	62
2.	Bulandshahar	121	305	87
3.	Bijnor	36	208	30

(b) The targets for 1991-92 are as under:-

Sl. No.	*District*	*No. of Panchayat Telephones*	*No. of post offices*
1.	Aligarh (Hathras)	55	Nil
2.	Bulandhahar	20	Nil
3.	Bijnor	35	Nil

Curtailment of approved Episodes

3092. SHRIMATI SUMITRA MAHAJAN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Doordarshan curtail the number of approved episodes of any serial;

(b) if so, whether there is any provision to compensate the producers of unrelayed but approved episodes; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS): (a) Doordarshan has the right to refuse the continued telecast of a multi-episode programme at any time in case the producer fails to comply with the conditions specified by Doordarshan.

(b) No, Sir.